1 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 2 AT TACOMA 3 ELIZABETH M. CHRISTIE, a single person, Plaintiff, 5 Case No. C05-5172FDB v. 6 ORDER GRANTING PLAINTIFF OCWEN FEDERAL BANK, ADDITIONAL TIME TO ACQUIRE 7 **NEW COUNSEL** Defendant. 8 Plaintiff's counsel moved to withdraw, and so advised Plaintiff. The Court entered an order 9 directing Plaintiff to respond as to whether she would be proceeding pro se or with new counsel. 10 Plaintiff has filed her timely response requesting time to employ new counsel. While the Court 11 cannot keep this matter open indefinitely, it can grant Plaintiff some additional time. 12 NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED: 13 1. Plaintiff is granted additional time to acquire new counsel in this matter, and shall advise 14 the Court by having new counsel file an appearance by no later than August 5, 2005. If Plaintiff is 15 unsuccessful in finding new counsel, she must advise the Court whether she will proceed pro se. 16 2. Failure of any new counsel for plaintiff to file an appearance by August 5, 2005 or of 17 Plaintiff to advise the Court whether she will proceed pro se will result in dismissal of this cause of 18 action. 19 3. Plaintiff's present counsel shall remain in the case pending the occurrence of either of the 20 above events. 21 DATED this 24th day of June, 2005. 22 23 FRANKLIN D. BURGESS 24 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE 25

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